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DIMINISHING MANUFACTURING SOURCES AND MATERIAL SHORTAGES
(DMSMS) DATA AWARD

I am pleased to announce that I have selected the **Ms. Loretta Osmon** to receive the **2000 GIDEP DMSMS Data Award for Government**.

We present the GIDEP DMSMS Data Award each year to the top government activity which exhibits overall excellence in participation and management of the Government-Industry Data Exchange Program. The award recognizes achievements realized through the initiative, leadership and imagination of the GIDEP representative and the organization's use and contributions of technical data in the best interests of other government and industry participants.

This year we plan to present the GIDEP DMSMS Award to your GIDEP Representative Ms. Osmon during the Awards Banquet at the GIDEP Annual Workshop on the evening of 9 May at the Westin Crown Center Hotel, Kansas City, MO.

I sincerely hope that you and your GIDEP representative can be present to accept this award. Please advise Karen Jackson, workshop chair, in the near future of your plans for yourself and Ms. Osmon to attend, so we can make appropriate arrangements. She can be reached at (909) 273-4623.

Congratulations, I look forward to hearing from you.

M. B. NEWTON
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